

REMARKS

The allowance of claims 8 and 13 is acknowledged appreciatively and accepted.

Nevertheless, claim 8 is currently amended to define respective positions more clearly.

Reconsideration and allowance are, therefore, requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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